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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PINT CH

SUBJ: GOING AGAINST THE TIDE REDEFINED AS OBEYING DISCIPLINE

REF: HONG KONG 0777

AFTER THE NPC'S CLEAR REDIRECTION OF ATTENTION TO STABILITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT (REFTEL), SIGNS OF THE DISFAVOR IN WHICH POLITICAL MILITANCY FINDS ITSELF TODAY CAN BE SEEN IN A JANUARY 16 TSINGHAI BROADCAST REDEFINING "GOING AGAINST THE TIDE" AS CORRESPONDING TO "OBEYING THE PARTY'S LEADERSHIP AND ITS DISCIPLINE". IN MARKED CONTRAST WITH THE INSERTION OF THE SLOGAN INTO THE LEXICON OF ACTIVISM BY PARTY VICE CHAIRMAN WANG HUNG-WEN AT THE TENTH PARTY CONGRESS IN 1973 AND ITS USE IN THE EARLY STAGES OF THE CRITICISM CAMPAIGN IN 1974, THE CURRENT TSINGHAI DEFINITION IS CLEARLY COINED IN THE CONTEXT OF PREVENTING DISSENTERS FROM EXPRESSING THEIR OBJECTIONS " IN ACTION" , AND NOTHING IS SAID ABOUT PROTECTING DISSENTERS FROM RETALIATION AND SUPPRESSION (ARTICLE 5 OF 1973 PARTY CONSTITUTION AND ARTICLE 27

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